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The Honorable Mike Leavitt, Administrator
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
P.O. Box 1473
Merrifield, VA 22116

Re: High Production Volume (HPV) Challenge Program

Great Lakes Chemical Corporation (GLCC) takes this opportunity to advise the Agency that it is co-sponsoring the following chemicals with Albemarle Corporation.

<u>Chemical Name</u>	<u>CAS Number</u>
1,2-benzenedicarboxylic acid, 3,4,5,6-tetrabromo-, 2-(2-hydroxyethoxy) ethyl 2-hydroxypropyl ester	77098-07-8
1,3-isobenzofurandione, 4,5,6,7-tetrabromo-	632-79-1

These chemicals were originally sponsored in the program under the American Chemistry Council's BFRIP panel but are now being undertaken by the two companies independent of this group. The timing for submission of Test Plan and Robust Summaries will be end of January 2004.

If you or your staff have any question or comments regarding this voluntary commitment please contact us at any time.

Sincerely,

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